

November 2022 Bidding panel

Problems

Please send your entries to
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NOTE: *This set is based on a 5-card major system*

15-17 NT, 5-card Ms, 1♣ = 3+; 2-over-1 game forcing.

(You were drafted in at the last minute with no time for further discussion, not that it would help much)

Problem 1 Teams All Vul

♠976	S	W	N	E
♥Q543	-	-	-	1♣
♦T5	P	3♣*	Dbf	P
♣AK43	?			

1♣=3+♣ (15-17NT); 3♣*=5+♣, 6-9HCP

Problem 2 Teams NS Vul

♠A52	S	W	N	E
♥Q7	-	2♦*	P	P
♦QJ87632	?			
♣K				

2♦*=Multi (usually a weak2 in a Major)

Problem 3 Teams EW Vul

♠QJT	S	W	N	E
♥KQ652	-	-	1NT	P
♦QJ2	?			
♣K4				

1NT = 15-17

Problem 4 Teams All Vul

♠AKQ8543	S	W	N	E
♥63	-	3♦	P	3NT
♦54	?			
♣Q3				

Problem 5 MatchPoints All Vul

♠AQ87	S	W	N	E
♥AK986	-	-	-	1♥
♦42	P	P	Dbf	2♣
♣J3	?			

Problem 6 Teams NS Vul

♠A	S	W	N	E
♥2	-	-	3♥	P
♦AKJ86543	?			
♣KT6				

Problem 7 Teams NS Vul

♠-	S	W	N	E
♥KQJ96532	-	-	1♠	P
♦7	2♥	4♦	4♠	P
♣AQT2	?			

4♦ = pre-emptive

Problem 8 Teams NS Vul

♠AJT92	S	W	N	E
♥AJ8		1♣	P	1♥
♦AQ	1♠	3♥	P	4♥
♣432	End			

What is your lead?